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**SUPPLEMENT TO THE PROXY STATEMENT FOR
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS
TO BE HELD ON MAY 23, 2017**

May 8, 2017

These Definitive Additional Materials amend and supplement the definitive proxy statement, dated April 17, 2017 (the “2017 Proxy Statement”), of Achillion Pharmaceuticals, Inc. for its 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held at 300 George Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06511 on Tuesday, May 23, 2017 at 9:00 a.m., local time.

SUPPLEMENT TO DEFINITIVE PROXY STATEMENT

This supplemental information should be read in conjunction with the 2017 Proxy Statement, which should be read in its entirety.

On May 8, 2017, Michael D. Kishbauch, a member of the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Achillion Pharmaceuticals, Inc., notified the Board of his resignation from the Audit Committee and the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, effective immediately. Mr. Kishbauch will continue to serve on the Board.